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**Title**

Regulating Device for the Cooling Air Flows of a Bulk Material Grate Cooler

**Preliminary Class**

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That my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

That I verily believe I am the original and first and inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**"REGULATING DEVICE FOR THE COOLING AIR FLOWS OF A BULK MATERIAL GRATE COOLER"**

the specification of which (check one)

☐ is attached hereto.  
☒ was filed on June 19, 2006  
☒ Application Serial No. 10/583,592  
 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
 (if applicable)

That I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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**Prior Foreign Application(s)****Priority Claimed**

DE 103 59.801.4  
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Yes  
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That I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119 and/or §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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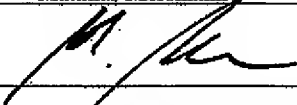
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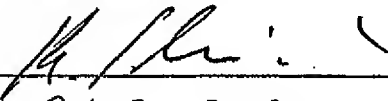
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